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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Happenings of Interest Both General and Personal Gathered Around Town.

Hard shell crabs and clams. Jacob Brills' foot of King street. 183-1t.

There are no white persons in the city jail at present, the first time in eighteen years.

The usual Saturday night dance under the auspices of the Camp Community Service will be given tomorrow night.

The weekly prayer meeting at the Anne Lee Memorial Home for the Aged at 7:30 o'clock this evening will be led by Mr. James R. Mansfield.

Contractor Samuel B. DeVaughan has started the work of erecting a store building and two flats on the west side of Fayette street, between King and Cameron streets for T. J. Fannon.

The members of Mount Vernon Council, Daughters of America, will meet tonight with Mrs. Kicherer, 704 south Washington street. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Davis, wife of Dr. W. L. Davis, and two children, who have been visiting her brothr, Mr. Vance H. Peele, have returned to their home in Windsor, N. C.

It is expected that a large number of persons will attend the regetta which will be given at 3:30 o'cock tomorrow afternoon by the Old Dominion Boat Club off its clubhouse. The program heretofore published will be carried out.

Mr. J. Thomas Cook, in charge of the United States employment bureau, received a postcard this morning from Mr. B. Abramson, dated at Atlantic City, in which he states that he is spending the greater part of his time "in the ocean fishing for the Kaiser."

MRS. RUDD, WIFE OF HARRY RUDD, DIES AT HER HOME

Mrs. Pearl Rudd, wife of Harry W Rudd, died at 1:30 o'clock this morning at her residence, 125 South Fairfax street. In addition to her husband s' is survived by several children. Three weeks ago a little son of Mrs. Rudd died.

LABOR BOARD BEING ORGANIZED IN THIS CITY.

A labor board is being organized here at the request of the Federal government. From now on it is unlawful for employers or employes to seek labor excep through this agency.

The local board, soon to be organized, is working under the state board and the latter board is working under the direction of the Federal authorities.

PLAN TO RAISE SHIPS.

Huns Keep Record of Vessels Sunk For Use After War.

Germany is planting a merchant marine for herself and plans to "raise" her crop after the war.

The American Government has information that Germany has undertaken construction of salvage submarines, to go out when peace comes and raise the ships of all nations which the destroying submarines have sent to the bottom.

Germany plans to repair these ships and add them and their salvaged cargoes to her list of "prizes of peace."

Every submarine commander keeps a careful record of the ships he sinks and marks on a map the exact spot where the wreck lies.

With these records in hand the Germans plan to beat all the rest of the world to the sunken treasures.

The salvage submarine is said to be fitted with specially designed grappling apparatus for attaching cables to the ships that lie on the bottom of the ocean. It is capable of operating at great depths. Other vessels, equipped with hoisting apparatus, will assist the submarine in bringing the damaged ships to the surface.—Chicago Tribune.

ENFORCING DOG LAW

Members of the Police Force Have Been Furnished With a List of Owners of Canines.

The enforcement of the law which requires the muzzling or leashing of all dogs which may appear upon the streets created a demand for muzzles, and the limited stocks in the hand of shopkeepers was soon exhausted. New supplies, however, have been re ceive, and those desiring to allow their dogs to run at large can procure the same.

Lists of persons who own and have taken out licenses for dogs for th year 1918 have been turned over t police headquarters. Five hundre and ninety licenses have been issued The lists in duplicate have been a ranged in alphabetical order, and show also the residence of every perso Of the number 155 were for d owned by colored persons, and by whites.

It may be that the number of dog now in Alexandria is much less th ten years ago. However, when t annexed territory is considered, it a pears reasonable to assume many p sons have not paid.

Ten years ago the yearly average was 740, and the question is: are there 200 dogs less in Alexandria than then?

All persons, under the ordinanc must call at police headquarters for 1918 licenses. Failing to do so w be prima facie evidence of failing to observe the law, and a fine, in addition to the license, will result. Persistent delinquency will cause furthe embarrassment which those neglecting to observe the law will bring up themselves.

WILL ADDRESS MEN'S BIBLE CLASS AT CHRIST CHURCH

In addition to preaching at the two services in Christ Church on Sunday next, Rev. J. J. D. ("Daddy") Hall has kindly consented to address the Men's Bible Class, which is held in the church every Sunday morning at 9:30. Invitations have been extended to other Bible classes to join with Emmanuel Bible Class to hear the message delivered by this man of God.

In replying to the invitations to come to Alexandria Mr. Hall sent two characteristic messages: The first, in reply to the invitation to preach was that he would be pleased, Philemon 22. To this the following mesage was sent: John 14: 2; Jeremiah 6: 3. The second, in response to the invitation to address the Bible class was that nothing would give him greater pleasure. 2 John 12.

DISTRIBUTING WORKERS.

War Industries Found Needing 500,000 as System is Put Into Operation.

Washington, Aug. 2.—The Government today found war industries short 500,000 unskilled workers as it started its system of recruiting and distributing such labor. Complete returns are expected to show double that shortage.

From now on war industry can compete against another for unskilled labor, but must get their requirements through the Federal Employment Service, which will have branch organizations throughout the land.

Industries may compete for skilled labor for the time being, but want ads. and private labor agencies are banished as far as unskilled men are concerned.

War work is defined as manufacture of productions or erection of buildings directly or indirectly applied to some department of the Government; coal mining, railroading and farming.

State agencies will control distribution and recruiting within a state, but regulations are strict as to private recruiting except where laborers apply for work voluntarily.

The United States Employment Service is expected to follow the same general lines of priority in distributing common labor as does the War Industries Board in allotting materials, officials said today.

Closest co-operation between the two agencies is expected, and formation of a labor priorities board is considering likely.

BLUE LAW IS INVALID

Court Declares Statute Passed by the Danville City Council is Null and Void.

Danville, Aug. 2.—Rabbi David Kusner has won his contnetion that the law passed not many weeks ago by the city council, compelling all stores to close on Sundays, is invalid. Judge William Leigh granted him an injunction restraining the mayor and all city police officers from enforcing the law, and about eight stores which were closed up when it went into effect will operate unmolested on Sundays hereafter. They cannot sell soft drinks, however.

The court, in his decision, held that the local ordinance is not consistent with the State law passed many years ago and which provides that where a man conscientiously observes a week day as his holy day he can work on the Christian Sabbath.

Kusner made a test case of the ordinance and was arrested for selling a 10-cent handkerchief to a city councilman in the presence of a policeman. He was fined $50, and the councilman, deemed also guilty under the ordinance, was fined $25. Kusner noted an appeal, but the city attorney had the case dismissed, after which the rabbi sought an injunction.

SHOOTS DOWN PLANES

American Flyers Down Eight Members of "Checkerboard Escardrille" in Day.

With the American Army at the Marne, Aug. 1. (Night.)—Eight German airplanes were today shot down by American aviators, Lieut. Donald Hudson, of Kansas City, destroying three of the enemy machines within five minutes. It was a record day for the Americans.

One German machine each was downed by Ivan A. Roberts, of Massachusetts; Ruliff Nevins, of Los Angeles; Robert Z. Cates, of Spartanburg, S. C.; Harold Buckles, Manchester, N. H., and Jerry E. Vascennells, of Denver.

Two German observation balloons were set on fire by Aviators William E. Brotherton, of Guthrie, Ill., and L. E. Holden, of New York.

American pursuit squadrons during the morning met the late Baron von Richthofen's old "checkerboard ascadrille," so named because of the insignia stenciled on the fuselage. The eight victims were all from this organiation.

COMMANDMENTS FOR WIVES.

Los Angeles Minister Presents Them as the Outcome of Experience.

Los Angeles, Aug. 2.—"How to Hold A Husband," is condensed into 10 commandments for modern women by the Rev. P. R. Knickerbocker, who recently gave Los Angeles women the benefit of his experience in this decalogue:

1. Thou shalt have no other man except thy husband; neither shalt thou eye another.
2. Thou shalt not neglect thy home for a bargain sale or club or suffragette propaganda.
3. Thou shalt not be a peach on the street, a pippin in society and a lemon in the house.
4. Thou shalt not wear $50 bonnets and imported lingerie when thy husband wears 5-cent socks and hand-me-down trousers.
5. Thou shalt not play bridge whist for gain, neither shalt thou sip the sparkling glass.
6. Thou shalt use the same blandishments on thy husband as thou didst use on thy sweet heart and he shall always be thy lover.
7. Thou shalt not nag thy husband nor thy son nor thy daughter nor thy servant.
8. Thou shalt suffer little children to come, for thy greatest name is Mother.
9. Thou shalt not neglect to pray for thy children; neither shalt thou neglect to spank them
10. Thou shalt not rear thy children by proxy, but thou thyself shalt be their mother.

Gets Great Welcome.

Rev. Jas. Webster, late of Manchuria, went to France to do Y. M. C. A. work among the Chinese labor contingents. When he spoke Chinese to them they shouted, "Lao sien sheng chih fan la?" which means, "Hello, old man! How are you?"

MUST WORK OR FIGHT

New Order Now Effective And Officers Will Enforce Same.

Young men of military age must carry with them cards showing their classification for military service. Registration cards will not suffice. Yesterday, August 1, the federal regulation regarding the "fight or work" ukase was in full force and effect. Men who have been walking the streets clad in fine linen and purple, smoking, imbibing soft drinks and cooling beverages, spending time at the movies, lolling in the shady nooks and not hvaing a care in the world are to feel the effects of the new law.

Federal and state and city officers are charged with the duty of seeing that all men have cards. And those who have not the classification cards are in for a rough time and much added hard work. There is just one way to escape—get a job and stick to it. All men who are not employed in essential and productive occupations must change their business, and change at once. Men of military age must perform either military or quasi-war service. Those who are not fitted for active field work with the army must get work.

Men of military age or above must be employed. This applies to all, but unskilled men are the first to feel the effects of the regulations. After this will come the unskilled women, then the skilled men and the skilled women. It is simply to help peope to work and to work at something that means a help for winning the war—food, clothing, munitions, transportation or some necessary employment.

This new regulation, which is intended to put an end to loafing and idleness and to relieve the general situation, was effective just a month ago, being suspended in order to allow the men to get positions. There will be no temporizing, it is declared. Those who have classification cards, even if employed, will greatly facilitate matters by carrying them, and they may escape a night in the police station.

BULGARS LIKE GERMANS.

Following Their Teuton Masters, They Force Greek Girls to Become Slaves of Officers.

Rome, Aug. 2.—The Bulgarians have learned well their lessons in brutality taught them by their German masters.

According to a dispatch from Saloniki, the Bulgarian officers are forcing Greek girls to become white slaves and live in the officers' quarters in the occupied towns of Northern Greece.

A French artillery sublieutenant who remained in Kavala after the town was captured by the Bulgarians has finally escaped and reached Saloniki.

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ASKS CO-OPERATION

Postmaster General Asks of Those of Bell Telephone Service—Statement of Conference Made by Head of Bell System.

C. T. Sobotka, of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company, issued the following statement made by Theodore N. Vail, President of the Bell System.

To Employees of the Bell Telephone Companies.

In a conference held in Washington at Which were present the Postmaster General, the Government Operating Committee and representatives of the Bell Companies, the Postmaster General explained most emphatically his appreciation of the service which the Bell Companies were rendering and that such improvement possible to be made would be because of the additional power derived from the Government. He asked for the cooperation and assistance of those who had heretofore been responsible for the service.

The Postmaster General was equally emphatic in the statement of his desire to conserve the service and properties of the Companies with a view of returning them to their owners when called upon so to do in as good condition as received; that it was his earnest desire that the owners should receive just compensation in the full sense for their use.

The Postmaster General, until other instructions are issued, desires that the conduct of operation shall continue as heretofore, and also states that no changes will be made until after consultation and full and careful consideration.

To all who are identified with the Bell Companies—who have shown your fine sense of obligation and your loyalty and fidelity to your country, to the public service and to the property in the past and to whom the credit s due for the prestige and position of the companies in the public eye—it is asked, and it is not too much to ask of you, that same loyalty, fidelity and devotion to the service under the new order of things. On your behalf such loyalty, fidelity and devotion to the service have been promised, knowing full well the spirit in which the spirit in which you will meet and respond to the request.

To do one's full duty in each position is the greatest obligation resting upon every person and is also the greatest opening to future preferment.

BAN MAY SOON BE LIFTED

DR. WOOD'S CHERING NEWS.

Dr. Wood, who is in charge of the health situation in the city of Alexandria, when interviewed this morning, authorized the statement that if his work of cleaning up the city continues to progress as favorably as it has recently the ban put on the city by the authorities of Camp Humphreys will be raised the early part of the coming week.

AMUSEMENTS.

At the Richmond—'God's Man," featuring W. B. Warner at the Richmond tonight, tells the story of an upright, honest heir apparent to the pastorate of a village church, expelled from college, because of his desire to shield a chum from disgrace.

His career interrupted, he decides to enter the business whirl of New York City, where he is soon ured to the glare and glamour of Broadway and its nght life.

He becomes emeshed in that web weaved by "The Scarlet Host," and "The Sons of Subterranea," and again in his desire to aid his fellowman, is dragged into the quagmires of the elite underworld.

"Fatty" Arbuckle, with Raymond Hitchcock, will be seen in "The Village Scandal," a scream from start to finish.

Grand Theater.

The people of Hudson Town want Miss Martha Sellers, "the Mysterious Woman," removed from their midst. They claim she is an undesirable character. So far nothing against her personal character or actions has been unearthed, but she receives letters regularly from Sing Sing prison. The citizens have concluded that she is in some way related to one of the prisoners there. And they want no jailbirds in their midst. The story is thrilling unfolded in "The Lonely Woman," at the Grand tomorrow.

DRAFTED MEN TO GO

Twenty Will Entrain For Charlottesville Camp at 2:17 Tomorrow Afternoon—Will Take Course of Special Training.

Twenty men from this city, all of whom but one are in the 1918 class of registrants, will entrain at 2:17 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the University grounds, Charlottesville, Va., where they will take up special military training. A total of twenty-three have been summoned, which means three are alternates. Those summoned are as follows: Arthur Ladd, Guy U. Cogswell, William L. Allwine, Charles L. Haynes, Willie Gladwell, John B. Henderson, Robert E. Van Every, James E. Freeman, Charles Prohaska, Jr., Graham L. Simpson, Charles W. Walker, William H. Morris, Campbell Airport, George Dube, Eugene C. Mateer, Francis A. Von Schon, E. E. Simmons, Robert A. Baker, Clarence Beach, Raymond L. Oliver, Josph D. Mackey, James O'Neal, George W. Humphries.

AMERICANS ADVANCING

Great German Base on the Rhine—Soissons Railroad Now in Flames—Mangin's Army Pushes Forward.

With the American Armies in France, Aug. 2. (8:45 a. m.).—American troops advanced their entire right wing during the night as far as Bomplery.

They hold Cierges and all of Meunieres wood. Intense fighting is proceeding beyond Cierges, where the Americans gained dominating heights from the Germans by a sudden, heavy attack. The American gains were made in the face of stiffening opposition.

With the Amrican Army at the Marne, Aug. 1. (night).—Fismes, the great German base on the Rheims-Soissons railway, is in flames, air observers reported today.

With the French Armies, Aug. 2. (2:30 a. m.)—General Mangin's army was still advancing early today, utilizing every advantage gained in yesterday's impetuous assault along a ten-mile front.

Paris, Aug. 2. (12 noon).—Further allied progress in the Soissons-Rheims salient during the night was announced by the French war office today.

"North of the Marne the French progressed during the night," the communique said.

SERVICE FLAG TO BE UNFURLED TONIGHT BY MASONS

A service flag containing forty-one stars representing that number of men who have responded to the call to the colors will be unfurled with appropriate services at 8 o'clock tonight by Mount Vernon Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, at the Masonic Temple. Among those scheduled to make speeches are J. E. W. Timberman, past grand high priest; J. H. Trimyer district deputy high priest; the Rev J. M. Nourse and the Rev. Dr. E. Regester.

CHARLES S. PERRY DIES AT COUSIN'S HOME HERE.

Charles Smoot Perry died at 8:3 o'clock last night at the residence o his counsin, T. Calvert Perry. T deceased was on a visit to his cous and only a few days ago suffered stroke of paralysis. Mr. Perry wa a son of the late John Perry, many years a prominent lumber merchant of this city.

DEATHS

RUDD—Entered into rest August 2, 1918, at 1:30 a. m., PEARL, wife of Harry W. Rudd, at her residence, 125 South Fairfax street. Funeral Sunday afternoon August 4th, at 3:30 o'clock from the Second Presbyterian Church. Friends invited. Interment private. Washington papers please copy.

PERRY—At 323 South Washington street August 1, 1918, 8:30 p. m., CHARLES SMOOT PERRY, son of the late John and Mary Anna Smoot Perry. Funeral services at the above residence, Saturday afternoon 4 o'clock.
Interment private.

CARLIN IS ENDORSED

Resolutions Commending the Eighth District's Representative Adopted by Three Leading Labor Organizations.

The Carpenter's Union, No. 1665, of Alexandria, Virginia, with sixteen hundred members, has adopted the following resolution:

"We, the undersigned organized workers and craftsmen of Alexandria City, and the vicinity, repudiate the action of the Alexandria Trades Council on Tuesday, July 9th, namely the endorsement of Mr. E. B. White's candidacy from United States Congress. This action does not represent the wishes and sentiments of organized labor of this community."

Branch No. 68 G. B. B. A., and Painter's Local No. 1068, both of Alexandria, Virginia, and the workers at the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, have unanimously adopted the same resolution.

The following resolutions endorsing Mr. Carlin have also been adopted by the labor organizations named:

Columbia Lodge I. A. M.

"Numerous inquiries have reached the members of Coumbia Lodge No. 174 International Association of Machinists whose members are employed at the Washington Navy Yard, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Government Printing Office and the Bureau of Standards, regarding the Hon. Charles C. Carlin, Congressman from the Eighth Virginia District.

We can state without reserve that the Hon. Charles C. Carlin has at all times been willing to assist both by influence and vote, in the passage of a measures which sought to benefit the members of our organization, especially those of our local lodge numbering approximately four thousand. He has rendered vauable assistance in the expansion of the Washington Navy Yard. His actions regarding thereto being prompted solely by his desire to render valuable service to the government and improve the conditions of the employees.

He has at all times advised with and assisted our legislative committee on measures which we were interested in, and in general find his labor record to be beyond reproach.

We sincerely hope that the people of the Eighth Virginia Congressional District will return the Hon. Charles C. Carlin to the 66th Congress by an overwhelming majority.

Resectfully, W. N. Huttel, Secty. Wm. W. Keeler, E. C. McGregor, F. W. Lee, J. T. Donnelly, N. P. Alifas, J. T. Nussear, W. W. Steiner, E. R. Williams, Legislative Committee.

Lodge No. 450, J. B. M.

At the regular meeting of Local No. 450, held on July 24th, the following resolution was unanimously adopted. Whereas: Hon. C. C. Carlin, member of Congress Eighth District of Virginia, desires re-election at the coming election, and,

Whereas, while representing his District in the past years, he has proven his great interest in his constituents, and,

Whereas: He has always taken a great interest in all government employees, especially the Naval Gun Factory and its workers; therefore be it,

Resoved, that in regular session assembled we unanimously indorse the nomination and election of Hon. C. C. Carlin for Congress, and be it further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be addressed to Hon. C. C. Carlin and a copy spread on the records of this local.

Fraternally, Local No. 450.

Rufus Kelso, President of L. No. 450.

W. P. Kilroy, Sec. L. No. 450, 817 N. Capitol Street, Washington, D C.

Pattern Makers' Association.

At the last regular meeting of the Pattern Makers' Association of Washington, the following was adopted:

Resolved that the Pattern Makers of Washington and vicinity endorse the nomination an delecton of Hon. C. C. Carlin of the Eighth District of Virginia, who has been ever faithful in the performance of his duties, as a congressman, especially in his assistance to labor.

Be it further resolved that these resolutions be spread on the minutes of the association.

With best wishes for your re-election, I am,

Very Truly Yours, George J. Bergup, President.

A. Alfers, Secretary.

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IS COL. WHITE DISQUALIFIED?

According to a message received by "The Loudoun Times" this morning, at 10 o'clock, from the Clerk of the House of Representatives, in Washington, in reply to one sent by the "Loudoun Times," which reply we give below, Col. White has failed to comply with the Federal election law, known as the Corrupt Practice Act, governing candidates in both primary and general elections for the office of Representative in Congress. What the consequences of his failure to take care of his own interests and those of his followers may be, we are not prepared to say, but with his staff of legal advisors ever at his elbow and a campaign manager to assist him, it cannot but appear to all interested, that it is a bad beginning for one who aspires to take care of the people's interests to thus signaly fail to take care of his own.

MESSAGE FROM MR. TRIMBLE

"Harry T. Harrison.
Leesburg, Virginia.

"No papers of expenses or conributions have been filed in the office of the Clerk of the House of Representatives in accordance with primary or general election law by Col. E. B. White. The time for filing expired Saturday night, July 27, at 12 o'clock. Mr. Carlin filed his statement in accordance with law."

"(Signed) SOUTH TRIMBLE,
"Clerk of House of Representatives."

For the benefit of all interested, we quote the law upon this subject as found in Public Law No. 32, approved August 19, 1911, as amended. (27 Stat. L., 360).

"CORRUPT PRACTICE ACT" GOVERNING PRIMARIES AND GENERAL ELECTIONS FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND SENATE

"Every person who shall be a candidate for nomination at any primary election or nominating convention, or for election at any general or special election, as Representative in Congress of the United States, shall, not less than ten nor more than fifteen days before the day for holding such primary election or nominating convention, and not less than ten nor more than fifteen days before the general or special election at which candidates for Representatives are to be elected, file with the Clerk of the House of Representatives at Washington, District of Columbia, a full, correct, and itemized statement of all moneys and things of value received by him or by any one for him with his knowledge and consent, from any source, in aid or support of his candidacy, together with the names of all those who have furnished the same in whole or in part; and such statement shall contain a true and itemized account of all moneys and things of value given, contributed, expended, used, or promised by such candidate, or by his agent, representative, or other person for and in his behalf with his knowledge and consent, together with the names of all those to whom any and all such gifts, contributions, payments, or promises were made for the purpose of procuring his nomination or election.

"Every statement herein required shall be verified by the oath or affirmation of the candidate, taken before an officer authorized to administer oaths; and the depositing of any such statement in a regular post office directed to the Clerk of the House of Representatives, or the Secretary of the Senate, as the case may be, duly stamped and registered, within the time required herein, shall be deemed a sufficient filing of any such statement under any of the provisions of this Act.

"That every person willfully violating any of the foregoing provisions of this Act, shall, upon conviction, be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than one year, or both."

The above law tells its own story, just as Col. White's failure to look after his own interests and those of his followers tells its story. Mr. Carlin has protected his own interests and those of his followers, while Col. White has signally failed to protect his. There can be no question now as to who is best suited and fitted to look after the people's interests. Not being a lawyer and with no legal staff at our elbow to direct us, we can reach but one conclusion, that Col. White's failure to comply with the above law, passed by Congress to protect the American voter, is a violation of this law and should disqualify him.

—The Loudoun Times.

THE EVIDENCE NOW IN

The evidence in the present political battle for the honor of representing the Eighth Congressional District in the next House of Representatives is now about all in and it remains for the voters of this District to render a verdict. In summarizing what facts have been established and what evidence has been presented against Col. White, with no proofs introduced to contradict them, we find the following:

That Col. White did not vote for a farmer candidate and neighbor, the Hon. Westmoreland Davis, for Governor, is evidenced by admission.

That Col. White did not support the regular Democratic nominee for president, the Hon. William Jennings Bryan, is proven over Col. White's own signature.

That Col. White declared in a public statement before a congressional committee that Loudoun labor was not the equal of western labor, which latter is chiefly composed of Hungarians, Italians, Poles and other foreign labor, is published in the Hearings Before the Congressional Committee on Agriculture, on page 112.

That Col. White declared himself, that he was "one of the favored few," a class against which all American Democracy has been fighting and the cause of the great world wide war today, is found in above-mentioned hearings on page 108. That Col. White himself declared that over "some very nice dinners at the club" he and other members of the "favored few" fixed the price upon the farmers' grain, based to the latter upon published public railroad rates, while he and the "favored few" materially increased their profits, by receiving secret rebates, the taking of which has since been made a punishable offense by our government in order to protect the farmer, is the evidence of Col. White given against himself and will be found on page 108 of the same above mentioned hearings.

That Col. White was, when in St. Louis, working in alliance with railroad corporations against the farmer is also shown by Col. White himself, in his same statement before the Agricultural Committee, on page 108, and his alliance with one of the same railroads mentioned in his statement is shown to exist today, when the vice president of the C. & O., a gentleman not a voter in this district, writes to one of the men working for his railroad, asking that he support Col. White.

That Col. White, while decrying lawyers, endeavored to barter away the rights of the voters of this District to Mr. Hanes, a Washington lawyer, without consulting the voters who had placed their confidence in him, is evidence that Col. White has been unable to deny, even after his friends had interviewed Mr. Huddleson, the intermediary. That this is a fact is also vouched for by Mr. Hanes himself.

That Col. White has acknowledged the charge brought against him by the Rev. George W. Popkins, of working against the election of the Hon. Westmoreland Davis is evidenced by the fact that he refused to join Mr. Popkins in a letter to Senator Martin, who could easily have settled the question in dispute, as to whom Col. White supported in the gubernatorial race for the conversation referred to took place in the office and presence of Senator Martin.

That Col. White allowed to be published in his paper, "The Mirror," an article attacking the patriotism of Keith Carlin, a son of our present and future congressman, and dragged into a political campaign the name of a patriotic American officer is evidenced by the fact, and shows disloyalty to that great and glorious army of American soldiers, composed of the brave sons of the brave mothers of our nation whose pains and trials are respnsible today for the greatness of America and the faith of the entire world in our integrity and in our ability.

Against Mr. Carlin there have been brought no charges backed by evidence to substantiate them, despite his ten years of service as a faithful servant of all the people in his District. Mr. Carlin has known no class, he has catered to no class, and has stood tried and true upon a platform of loyalty and service to his government, and a platform of true democracy o'er which floats two banners, one the flag of our nation, and the other, the banner of democracy on which is inscribed in letters large and bold, "Equal rights to all and special privileges to none." Every charge by insinuation, against Mr. Carlin, for only by insinuation have charges been made against him, has been proven false by documentary evidence, while the charges against Mr. White have been substantiated by documentary evidence.

The time has about arrived when the evidence in this controversy is in, and in the hands of a jury of the voters of this District rests the verdict as to who shall be our next representative in Congress. "The Loudoun Times" has an abiding faith in the people of Virginia. It does not believe they can be swayed by promises, by gifts, by influnce or by camouflaged misstatements from what they must realize is for the best interests of themselves, their state and their country, and in their hands "The Times" is perfectly willing to leave the rendition of a just verdict on August 6.

—The Loudoun Times.

GERMANY'S BURDENS.

Field Marshal von Mackensen, who is watching conditions in Roumania and on the Russian border, is quoted as refusing to send any of his troops to the western front owing to the excited condition of the conquered peoples over whom he is keeping guard.

The assassination of Von Eichhorn at Kiev calls for new activity on the part of Lenine and Trotzky in murdering the members of the opposing factions.

Hunger and disease are adding to the horrors of Russian anachy.

The Czecho-Slovaks continue to extend the theatre of their operations in Siberia, and roving bands of the desperate and discontented are appearing here and there in this great empire of trouble.

From Finland to the Roumanian border the old land of the Czars is fermenting with revolutionary impulses. The Russian pot is beginning to boil. Even Von Mackensen will have trouble in keeping it from boiling over.

Von Eichhorn's loss is a blow at the militarists much more bitterly resented than the death of the diplomat, von Mirbach. The Ukraine commander-in-chief was Hindenburg's chief coadjutor in the battle of the Masurian Lakes, where the Russians were slaughtered in droves and Duke Nicholas' army was thrust back across the east Prussian frontier. That a youngster of twenty-three, who confesses to having acted under orders from a communist committee at Moscow, should have accomplished the doughty field marshal's death is fuel to the fury of the militarists. What adds to their rage is the necessity of withdrawing from the west front any body of troops at this critical time, when every ounce of man power is wanted. That the advent of ten or twelve divisions of German troops in the irreconcilable regions will be the signal for an uprising of the peasantry is not unlikely.

ECHO OF THE LONG PAST.

Governor Wells returned from Washington to Richmond fifty years ago last week, according to an item clipped from the files of a Richmond paper. The item further stated that while in Washington "he succeeded in obtaining $6,150 for the State Treasury, that being a small part of the amount expended by the Alexandria State government in equipping troops for the United States Army during the late war. There are some $30,000 still due which the Governor thinks will soon be paid."

We never heard of but one regiment for the federal army being raised in Alexandria, and we do not believe this command ever reached the proportions of a regiment. James T. Close posed as colonel. Close was an insurance agent previous to the war, and at the outbreak of the conflict he was elected a Stat Senator. The regiment which he was suposed to command was known as the Sixteenth Virginia Infantry. Walter L. Penn, a politician of that day, was a lieutenant, and Frank Malone, who operated a cornet for a ministrel troupe, was also a lieutenant. Benjamin Langley, an Alexandrian, was a member of this regiment. The command was kept away from the front, as it was alleegd some members had previously been Confederate soldiers.

Travelers from Bulgaria, says an Amsterdam dispatch, declare that a serious outbreak of typhoid is raging in the Bulgarian Army and at Sofia. The number of casualties is said by the travelers to run into the thousands, especially in the army. The medical service is reported to have broken down. The departure from Sofia of King Ferdinand, the arrivals at Amsterdam say, was due to the fact that two cases of typhoid had broken out in the royal palace.

SPECIAL NOTICES

Notice.

James H. Mansfield, collector for the Royal Arcanum, may now be found at 108 North Pitt street. Phone 322 W. 183-1t.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of directors, the amendment of its by-laws and other business, will be held at No. 107 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., on August 12, 1918 at 10 o'clock, A. M.

A. M. McLachlen, President
E. H. McLachlen, Acting Sec.
159-30t.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Wednesday, July 31, Knight Templar Masonic Emblem and Fob. Reward if returned to Graham & Ogden, 530 King street. 181-3t

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WANTED—Room and board in private family; rates must be reasonable. E. C. Sampson, Phone 238. 182-3t

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WANTED—Counterman; good wages to right person. Experience not necessary; also short order cook; pay $18 per week. Apply Monticello Cafe. 176-tf

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On account of rulings of the U. S. Fuel Administration, it seems doubtful if Virginia will receive sufficient anthracite coal to supply the demands. If present rulings are maintained, this shortage will be very great in Alexandria and we earnestly advise our customers to put in a reasonable amount of bituminous coal as a safeguard against a coal shortage next winter.
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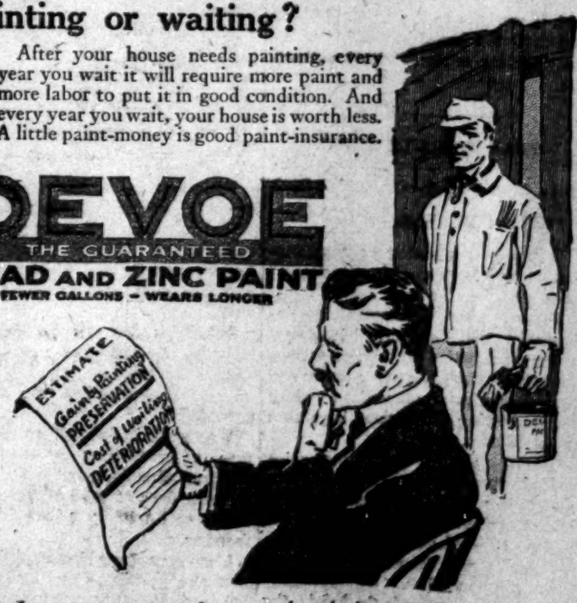

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PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received at the department until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, August 14, 1918, and then opened, for furnishing and laying sewer pipe, including manholes, complete, at St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C., in accordance with plans and specifications, copies of which may be obtained from the chief clerk of the department. Proposals must be marked "Proposals for furnishing and laying sewer pipe at St. Elizabeths Hospital," and be addressed to the Secretary of the Interior.

S. G. Hopkins,
179-4t Assistant Secretary.

AUCTION SALES.

Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree entered in the Corporation Court on the 10th day of July, 1918, in the partition suit therein pending wherein Marion B. Leary et vir, are complainants, and Mary Kirkpatrick and others are defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, in the city of Alexandria, on Fairfax street, in front of the Courthouse, on Wednesday, August 7, 1918, at 11 o'clock a. m. all that lot of ground improved by a brick store and warehouse, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING on the north side of King rsteet at the east line of a lot formerly conveyed by Allison and wife to Patton and Finely, supposed to be 60 feet east of Water street (now Lee street) and running thence east on King street 30 feet, more or less, thence north parallel with Water street (now Lee street) 81 feet to an alley 30 feet wide; thence west on said alley parallel to King street 30 feet more or less, thence south parallel witha water street (now Lee street) in a straight line to the beginning.

Terms of sale one-fourth cash and balance in six, twelve and eighteen months or all cash at the option of the purchaser.

Conveyancing at the cost of purchaser.

J. K. M. Norton,
Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that J. K. M. Norton, commissioner of sale has given the bond for surety as required by decree appointing him commissioner of sale at the July term, 1918.

Nevel S. Greenaway, Clerk.
176-tf By Cora Duffey, D. C.

Commissioner's Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

Pursuant to the terms of a certain decree entred in the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on the 18th day of July, 1918, in the Chancery Cause of Alexandria National Bank, etc., vs. J. Reece Caton et als., the undersigned Special Commissioners appointed by said decree will offer for sale at public auction on Wednesday, August 14th, 1918, at 4 P. M., in front of the City Hall premises, the undivided one fourth (1-4 interest of Geo. T. Caton in and to all of that certain lot of ground and improvements thereon situated in the said city of Alexandria, Virginia, beginning on the south side of Cameron street, 60 feet east of Fayette street and running thence east on Cameron street 25 feet and thence south betwen parallel lines 100 feet to an alley, and being known as 1116 Cameron street. This property is improved by a seven room frame dwelling in good condition, and is well located.

Terms of sale: Caesh. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

C. E. Nicol, A. B. Nicol, Special Special Commissioners.

I certify that the bond required in this case has been dury executed by C. E. Nicol, active commissioner, with sufficient surety.

183 Nevell S. Grenaway, Clerk.

GIRL STRIKERS WARNED

Judge Boyd Hears Cases of Those Accused of Picketing at Cumberland.

Cumberland, Md., August 2.—Following their commitment to jail yesterday for failure to furnish $100 bond each to keep the peace, Chief Judge A. Hunter Boyd heard the cases of th thirteen striking girl garment workers from the Cumberland branch of the Baltimore Bargain House on habeas corpus proceedings instituted by George Louis Eppler, attorney. The warrants were secured by girls who have been annoyed and attacked by the strikers.

Judge Boyd took the case under advisement and released the girls on their own recognizance until today, being in doubt about the regularity of the warrants in that the issuing magistrate had failed to take a sworn affidavit from the complainants that they were fearful that those against whom the warrants were being asked would do them bodily harm.

Judge Boyd dwelt at some length on the alleged method of the accused in their crusade against the complainants. He said it was a breach of the peace for a number of persons to assemble on the street or near a house and direct remarks against persons they are endeavoring to have follow them and warned that this method be abolished.

Judge Boyd said peace warrants were not issued against persons because they had committed a crime but to prevent one, and if the accused in this case were permited to tantalize those who were lawfuly employed and working violence might result.

Judge Boyd spoke of the wrong being committed against the United States Government in these abnormal times by such action as had been cited and warned against its continuance.

DR. HILLIS WINS SUIT.

Referee Holds Broker Owes Brooklyn Preacher $70,000.

New York, Aug. 2.—The suit brought by the Rev. Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth Church, of Brooklyn, against Frank L. Ferguson, former president of the Plymouth trustees, was decided in the clergyman's favor yesterday by a referee appointed by the court to determine the justice of Dr. Hillis' demand for an accounting. Mr. Ferguson acted as business administrator in Dr. Hillis' numerous business enterprises, including the purchase of Canadian timber lands.

The referee, William D. Dickey, held that Mr. Ferguson owes Dr. Hillis $70,000, and that various claims which Ferguson put in for services and expenses, amounting to about $55,000, were not justified. The referee added:

"The temptation is strong to preach a sermon on the impropriety, to use no harsher words, of ministers, while they are ministers, engaging in any speculative business where the speculation is to be carried on with money of others, who entrusted their earnings to a minister because he is a minister, relying on everything that belongs to the ministerial office."

TOWN BANISHES PRIEST

Bell of His Church Did Not Ring Following Mayor's Proclamtion of Victory.

New York August 2.—The Rev. Edward Heinlein, pastor of the Catholic Church of Our Lady of Victory, Mount Vernon, who was arrested July 19, after a disturbance in front of the rectory, following the proclamation of Mayor Brush to have the church bells of the city tolled in honor of the victory of the American soldiers in France, was found guilty yesterday of disorderly conduct in that he caused a crowd to collect. Judge George B. Appell sentenced him to pay a fine of $400 and to serve two months at hard labor, but stipulated that he would not enforce the sentence if the priest left the city. This was agreed to by the priest, who went away with a brother.

In passing sentence Judge Appell said: "I do not see why any one in his right mind would refuse to assist his fellow-citizens in celebrating a victory of the American army, unless he was regretful of that victory."

The priest said he was born in Germany, but had been a naturalized American citizen since 1895, and that he was a graduate of St. Joseph's Seminary, Yonkers. He has been pastor of the church at Mount Vernon for six years.

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Banquet Coffee is growing in favor every day, lb.....21c

Pure Lard, lb.....30c

Cheese lb., 32c; half lb.....17c

The National Drink, Welch's Grape Juice, qt.....43c

Let your next order include Paxton Baked Beans, can, 10c

Shriver's Canned Peas (new) the can.....18c

Fresh Creamery Butter, lb.....49c

Corn Starch, pkg., 10c; Argo pkg.....6c

Mazola Oil, 35c; Wesson Oil.....40c

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One Ladies' $35 navy blue Taffeta Silk Coat, size 36; reduced to $19.50	Five dozen Misses' Middy Blouses, all sizes, short sleeves, $1.98 value 98c
Eight Ladies' $25 long Coats, reduced to $14.98	$1.25 wide Embroidery Flouncing, reduced to, yard..... 69c
Five dozen Ladies' $1.50 white Tub Dress Skirts, reduced to...$1.69	$1 tan Silk Pongee, reduced to, yard 79c
Four $12.50 Ladies' white Net Dresses, reduced to.....$7.50	$4.98 Ladies' silk Parasols, reduced to $2.98
Five dozen Children's Gingham Dresses, 6 to 14, $1.15 val,..98c	$2.00 Fancy Foulard Silk, reduced to, yard $1.25
Five Boys' $7.50 Suits, sizes 8 to 15, reduced to $3.98	2.50 Fancy Dress Silk, reduced to, yard, ...$1.50

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THE YELLOW TICKET

78493 Kiev, June 2, 1918.
Name, Anna Mirrel.
Age, 19
Description, 5 ft, black hair, brown eyes.
Religion, Jewish.
Born, Moscow, Russia. (Seal)
The bearer must report to the police on the first of every month.
Inspector of Police
Ivan Preznev,

SATAN'S PASSPORT!!

Richmond, Saturday, August 3
Pathe Presents
FANNIE WARD
In a sensational story of Russia under the reign of the Czar; full of thrills and intensely dramatic situations
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A Photodrama that will interest every one; filled with Exciting scenes and humorous incidents
—SURPRISE TONIGHT—
Olive Thomas in "HEIRESS FOR A DAY"

19 AND 45 AGE LIMITS

Potential Army of Five Million Will Be Recommended to Congress by Administration—Measure to Congresisonal Committees Next Week.

The Secretary of War will lay the new army program before the Military Affairs Committee of the House and Senate next week, probably on Thursday. The chairmen of the two bodies were informed yesterday that the plan was about ready and that an early assembling of the committees was regarded as desirable by the War Department.

When the conference takes place, the War Department will lay a completed administration bill before the two committees with the request that it be introduced immediately in both branches of congress, thereby making all its provisions public. This will be done by the chairmen of the respective committees whether or not they individually approve all the provisions of the War Department.

The new measure will be more than a man power bill. It will provide primarily for the draft of additional millions of men, but at the same time it will create the machinery for a general enlargement of the military establishment to correspond in every direction to the increased size of the American armies.

It was learned that the program which will be proposed will include:

First—Modifications of the draft age to include all men from 19 to 45, although for the time being these limits are only tentatively fixed.

Second—Enlargement of the training camps for the accommodation of approximately 2,000,000 men at a given time.

Third—Expansion in the non-combatant corps providing the machinery for the support in the field of the greater combatant force.

Fourth—Appropriations on a basis of more than $20,000,000,000 a year for the army alone.

Fifth—An army with a potential strength of 5,000,000 men.

According to the best information available today these are the fundamental proposals of the War Department, although they are subject to such modifications as the Secretary himself may conclude to make before he carries the completed bill to Congress next week. As a matter of fact, however, the only really debatable question at this moment is the fixing of the new draft ages. There is reason to believe that the Secretary has about made up his mind as to the nature of his recommendation in this direction, but all the light which he threw upon the matter today was the casual remark that the ages widely reported today as having been fixed at 19 to 40 "was a very bad guess."

This was taken to mean in most quarters that it was, in fact, only bad guessing on the older end. It seemed to be assumed everywhere that the Secretary would adhere to his original recommendation that the age limit be lowered to 19. The only question has been that regarding the raising of the limit. And if 40 years is not fixed, it is moraly certain that it will be 45. To raise it to 35 or 36 as has been urged, would not produce enough men to carry out the program, if Class 1-A is to be relied upon for the fighting men of the next two years.

CASUALTY LIST BIGGER

Estimated Some Days Ago at 25,000 and There's Been Hard Fighting Since.

Washington, August 2.—The nation must steel itself for the shock of its first great casualty lists, army officers said yesterday.

The casualties are not disproportionate to the scope of the recent fighting, but they will be far greater than recent lists and will bring the war home to America as nothing else, these officers point out.

American casualties for the entire war to the end of July totaled slightly past 14,000, as far as announced. But the nation has not yet had the reflection of the Soissons-Rheims victory. The totals are likely to be greater than the totals so far announced. Some days ago a high general officer estimated they would not exceed 25,000 including dead, wounded, missing and prisoners. Since then there has been heavy fighting.

General Pershing has been instructed not to hold back casualties now. He is ordered to send them through speedily, and Chief of Staff March has announced that they will be given out, without camouflage, no matter how heavy they may be.

General March is understood to take the position that the nation, inspired by its victory and determined to press on, will not be dismayed by its first touch of what war realy means.

In fact, compared with French and British losses, the American losses will be small. Seven divisions and two odd regiments are now engaged counting men put in to replace casualties it is likely that more than 200,000 American have been engaged.

While casualties normally only run 2 to 3 per cent it is regarded as quite possible that the losses in dead, wounded, missing and prisoners in a conflict so serious as the one on the Soissons-Rheims alient will run 10 per cent or more.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The government took over control of the telephone and telegraph lines of the country at midnight, seventy-one years after it had sold to private enterprise the first telegraph line, which it had itself constructed. The action last night was a wartime measure, but is in harmony with the messages and recommendation of a long line of Presidents and Postmasters General, from Postmaster General Johnson, in 1845, and President Grant, in 1871, on down.

The great associations of farmers in the United States have formally gone to congress for relief from the war profiteer. They demand an investigation of prices, and a price-fixing law effective until one year after the war ends. The American Agricultural Association, which has offices at 1125 Fourteenth street, northwest, initiated the movement by a petition to both houses of Congress. The National Grange, the American Society of Equity, the Farmers' Co-operative Union and a number of labor unions join in enforcing the demands set forth in the petition. This union of forces of agriculture and labor is regarded in Washington as formidable and as calculated to impress Congress.

"The German submarine has ceased to exist as a determinative factor in the war," declared Secretary Daniels yesterday. In view of the ultra-conservative expressions of Mr. Daniels up to this time it is belived that the latest advices which he has received from Admiral Sims beat out conclusions recently voiced by allied naval chiefs.

Leading German papers have seized upon the assassination of Marshal von Eichorn as evidence that Germany's policy in Russia is highly dangerous to the successful prosecution of the war. Comments of all papers clearly indicate that the increasing antagonism displayed against the German representatives in Russia has caused a feeling of nervousness and doubt in the minds of many leaders, who believed that Russia could be easily welded to the imperial desires of her conquerors.

"The worst is over at last," says the Kaiser in another message on the occasion of the fourth anniversary of the war's outbreak, in which he, however, predicts further sufferings. The message reads: "In the new year the Germans will not be spared sufferings, but the worst is over at last. Nothing has been omitted by us in order to bring peace to the destroyed world. The enemy, however, does not yet desire peace. We must theerfore continue to fight. God be with us."

The Navy Department has received information that the Portuguese bark Porto was sunk by an enemy submarine at sea, about 550 miles off the American coast, on July 27. Eighteen survivors, the entire crew, were landed yesterday by a British steamer at an American port. The vessel was carrying cotton from Savannah, Ga., to Oporto, and was sunk by bombs placed aboard by the submarine crew.

Riots are reported to be a daily occurrence in and around Kiev.

A CONVERT TO LIBERTY

Personal Experience of Kultur Cured This German.

When I left Germany I was twenty years old. I obtained military leave of absence for one year. That leave was extended for four years. That was the limit. Every German must serve his time when he is 52 years old Nothing can change that.

But, meantime, I had settled and married an American girl. Needless to say, German military service did not interest me very much.

Two weeks after my twenty-fifth birthday I received a formidable looking document from the military commander of Berlin. It was my notification that the day after I was expected to report for service I had been duly tried by court-martial on a charge of absence without leave. The military court had found me guilty and imposed a sentence of sixteen days in a military fortress, with the alternative of a fine of 160 marks. I was to present myself imediately for duty.

When war was declared in 1914 I again received a memoral, with the roal seal of blue and white eagle. This time I was informed that if I reported without delay to the nearest military authority royal amnesty would be granted to me.

I have reported for duty—to the War Department of the United States; and I hope that a place will be found for me somewhere.

The German system is everywhere; it concerns itself with everything; it works at all times.

If the system decides that frightfulness is the proper procedure, then nothng is permtted to stand in the way of execution of orders.

A cobblestone, a woman, a house, a child, a church, a cripple, a tree, an old man—all are military obstacles. The cries of stabbed noncombatants are horrible to the ears of a German soldier; but more horrible is the general's wrath.

The German loves his family. He is good to his wife and his children are dear to him. If you call him a Hun, a barbarian, you misunderstand him. He is a human being; more sentimental, more idealistic than most of you.

But carved into his brain, into his heart, into his soul, are the words that mean more to him than the Ten Commandments: With God, for King and Fatherland!

That is what America is fighting for, to replace those words with the three others—Liberty, Equality! Fraternity!—Saturday evening Post.

KAISER'S PROCLAMATION

Admits United States Might Might But Puts On Bold Front.

Amsterdam, Aug. 2.—The coming of American armies to France and numerical superiority on the part of the allies do not frighten Germany, declares Emperor William in a proclamation to the German army and nav.

"Vital forces which are streamin across the sea to the enemy," he said, "are being attacked by German submarines, which are certain of success."

The emperor in his proclamation, which is dated August 1, alluded to the successes which the German forces have won, the bringing of peace the eastern front and the heavy blows dealt the allies during the present summer. He assured the army and nav that, although they are in the midst of the hardest struggle of the war, they will be victorious.

The emperor continued:

"American armies and numerical superiority do not frighten us. It is spirit which bring the decision. Prussian and German history teaches that, as well as the course which the campaign has hitherto taken.

"In true comradeship with my army stands my navy. In unshakable will to win the victory in the struggle with opponents who are often superior and, despite the united efforts of the greatest naval powers of the world, my submarines are sure of success. They are tenaciously attacking and fighting the vital forces which are streaming across the sea to the enemy.

"Ever ready for battle, the high sea forces, in untiring work, guard the road for the submarines to the open sea and, in union with the defenders of the coast, safeguard for them the sources of their strength.

"Far from home the small and heroic band of our Colonial troops is offering brave resistance to a crushingly superior force. We remember with reverence all who have given their lives for the Fatherland.

"Filled with care for their brothers in the field, the people at home are, in self-sacrificing devotion, placing their entire strength at the service of our great cause. We must and shall continue the fight until the enemy's will to destruction is broken. We will make every sacrifice and put forth every effort to that end.

"In this spirit the army and the home land are inseparably bound together Their united stand and unbending will is certain to bring victory in the struggle for Germany's right and Germany's freedom.

"God grant it."

VIRGINIA NEWS

The home of Misses Alice and Elizabeth Brown, one of the oldest homes of Winchester, was badly damaged Wednesday by fire of undetermined origin. Both women are disabled, one being a cripple and the other blind, and they were rescued under difficulties, as was also an infant, who had for the moment been forgotten. The child was finally saved by an aunt, Mrs. Dale.

James Ingle, 18, was bound over to the grand jury in the police court of Bristol on a charge of attempting to assault 16-year-old Amanda Howington. He was taken to the county jail when he was unable to furnish bond of $500. The father of the girl, who came to her rescue when she screamed, was badly cut by Young Ingle.

Acting on instructions issued to them by officials of the United States government, chairman of certain Richmond boards issued a work or fight ultimatum to striking clerks of the express office several days ago. It was reported that the names of the men on strike were given the boards by the government officials.

Declaring, it is said, that the kaiser was better than President Wilson and that the United States was not justified in entering the war, the Rev. W. H. Hilton, pastor of a small church at Big Moccasin Gap, is in jail at Gate City awaiting trial before United States Commissioner W. H. Nickels.

Specific charges against Chief of Police Charles A. Sherry were filed with the mayor of Richmond yesterday afternoon by a committee representing the Central Trades and Labor Council. The allegations deals with the action of the chief in placing men on the automobiles and delivery wagons of the express company when the local employees struck a short time ago. Also the charge is made that the chief violated his oath and the city ordinances when he directed his men not to arrest unlicensed drivers.

John Johnson, better known as "Teeley" Johnson, thirty-five years old, a blacksmith and formerly a jitney driver, was shot through the left temple and instantly killed by his wife, Mrs. Annie Vivian Proffitt Johnson, at the home of her father in Richmond yesterday. Mrs. Johnson told the police that she had shot her husband in self-defense. She then collapsed.

President Fairfax Harrison and his offical staff of the corporate offices of the Southern Railway Company are now established in Richmond in the Chamber of Commerce building.

He reported that 15,000 people in Kavala have died of starvation since the occupation, and when he left there the people weer living on the flesh of dogs.

"A SPLENDID TONIC"

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